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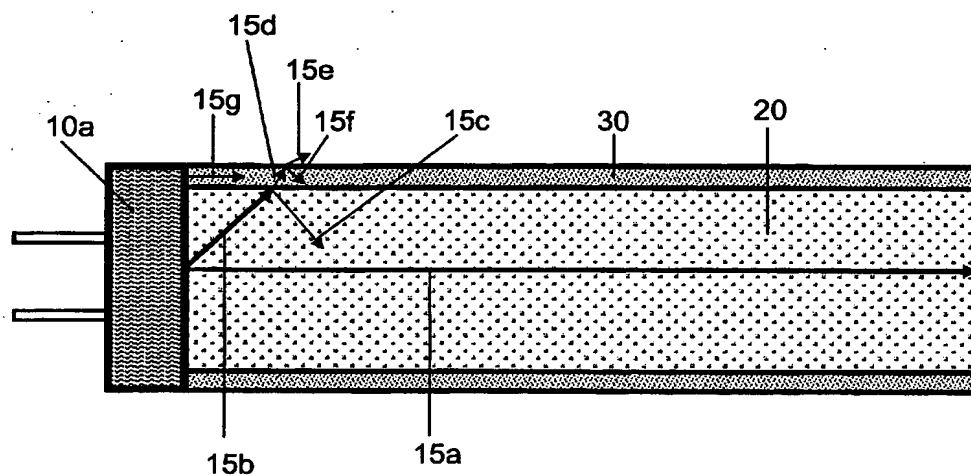
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(57) Abstract: A light-emitting form comprises an elongated light guide illuminated by a light source such as an LED that sheds light into the end of the light guide. The light guide comprises a tubular light-transmitting container consisting essentially of a substantially amorphous polymer, and an elongated light-transmitting core, which may be liquid, with an index of refraction lower than the index of refraction of the container. The light guide exhibits an aura, wherein the outside surface of the container illuminates its surroundings and appears to glow, rather like neon lighting tubes.